

the end of this year, maintain their previous quotation. (The 190th June are being paid in advance by the Crown agents, less discount at 3 per cent. It is understood that the balance remaining of the June and December 8 per cents, which were

The New Zealand Provincial debentures must also be quoted when the Government Bill is taken in London, and other

The following items, having reference to Australia, are from our files of the *Economist*:

The liquidators of the Adelaide Land and Gold Company—*an unprofitable speculation*—are seeking a sixth instalment of £2 per share to the contributors, payable in 1892.

The directors of the London Chartered Bank of Australia have decided to reduce the rate of interest on deposits from 10 to 8 per cent on the 1st, the usual dividend at the rate of 8 per cent, and to advance the rate of interest on loans from 10 to 12 per cent.

The report of the Colonial Securities Company to be presented to the 27th annual meeting of the shareholders, on the 11th inst., is as follows:—The company has been successful in obtaining a loan of £1,000,000 from the British North America and Antislavery, the Board will now be able to open an agency in Australia.

The directors of the Australian Agency—*the first of the kind*—have decided to reduce the rate of interest on deposits from 10 to 8 per cent on the 1st, the usual dividend at the rate of 8 per cent, and to advance the rate of interest on loans from 10 to 12 per cent.

New York advices to May 12th state that during the preceding month the Faraway and unnamed, from that port, and the America and Surprise from Boston, had sailed for Melbourne, with 28,000 cases of oil, 1031 cases, 61 three-quarter boxes 30 tierces 642 packages tobacco. The Queensland from New York, for this port, has 2400 cases oil, 293 packages tobacco. The Silas Fish was loading for Syd-

From Calcutta we have papers to the 8th June, on which date the rice market was very firm at four to five rupees per maund for table samples.

The departures for the colonies during the month were, the St. Bernard, with 6388 maunds of sugar, 1444 maunds sugar, 404 maunds sester

The Dundas Castle, with rice for Melbourne, and sundries; and the Tamay Candassamy, with 17,242 maunds rice, 200 maunds castor oil, 15,000 gunny bags and sundries, including 120 lbs. tea.

Up to the time of the Bombay's departure from Galle the China mail of May 30th had not arrived. Latest Hongkong advices are to May 13th, Canton 9th, Shanghai 6th. No new news had at that date reached Shanghai or Hongkong, and private advices state more could be ready for shipment before early in June.

could be ready for shipment before early in June. At Canton musters of the season's crop were plentiful, about 4500 boxes had changed hands at from 24 to 26 taels. At Shanghai a parcel of common How Fung congou at 16 taels as the only settlement during the fortnight. The demand for coals at the latter port had fallen off, and prices ruled easier. About 3000

ons, from Sydney, had arrived subsequent to April 20; and were quoted at 11 taels, or £8 s. 4½d. per ton from ship's side. Coals were very scarce at Hongkong. Sales of Australian coal arrive, were made at 11 dollars. No vessels were reported at any of the ports for Australia. Messrs. Russell and Sturgis's Manila circular

May 4 reports current sugar, £14 9s. 6d.
per ton; hemp £32 17s. 9d.; coffee, £56
5s. 9d.; rice in large supply, sales at 2 to 2½
dollars per cavan; Australian coals were quoted
at 12 dollars per ton; flour, 9 to 10 dollars per
bag. The Othello sailed for this port on April
10th, with 2500 pls. hemp, 1600 pls. sugar, 80

The half-yearly meeting of the shareholders of the Sydney Exchange Company, will be held at noon on Monday.

In the import markets to-day, business has not been entirely free from excitement, although, in consequence of the personal English correspondence having engaged the attention of all, transactions have not been on an extensive scale. Breadstuffs have commanded a good deal of notice, but as it was notified at an early hour in the forenoon that the larger millers refused to sell wheat except at a considerable advance on the market rate, and at a price which the boldness was not prepared to give, no sales took place. Under £13 to £15 has been refused. Victual wheat, in the

extent of about 6000 bushels, has been sold in parcels at up to \$6 and to \$6.00. Of barley we note the sale of 8000 bushels of California Cape barley at \$6.00, and a line of 5000 bushels of Chevalier barley, for malting, has changed hands at \$5.00. Oats are disposed of at \$3.50. There has been some inquiry for small millets, which are sold at \$1.00 per bushel. In the case of wheat, there are two parcels of 7500 and 1000 bushels, sold at 95¢. We are informed, however, that for about 2000 bushels, sold in a line, a trifle under this figure has been accepted. Barley raisins are quoted at 74¢ for small lots, and a parcel of 5000 is placed at close on this figure. In our general tele-

private notice this morning of shipments from England, we observe that a mistake was made in regard to shipments of this fruit, which, instead of 5715 cwt., should have been 715 cwt. only. The firm is a small one, and the quantity of fruit is consequently offered to-day by auction. 5790 bags of Malindas were sold, and of somewhat lower rates had to be taken; advices from England, however, being of a favourable tenor, & very help to strengthen the market. A private telegram, via Galie, dated London, June 7, states—"Sugar up is 6d per cwt. and likely to be firm and advance." The sugars per Jeazie Oswald and Eugene, from Java, will be offered for sale on Friday. Holders

There is, however, some ground for this rise, in the fact that shipments to the present time are 3000 pockets less than up to the corresponding period of last year, and that stocks are ten per cent reduced to last the season out. In tobacco, we hear of a shortage of 100 bales of good half-pounds having been sold on private terms. Woolpacks are firmer, and owing to the greater shipments advised, 1500 bales, coming to one firm—this, however, raises the question of the possibility of a market established—it is more, than unlikely a further advance in price.

Our Mauritius correspondent, writing on May 11th, supplies the following intelligence respecting that market :—

business has decreased, rather more attention has been paid to it. Very little confidence exists among the mercantile community. One or two large traders have already suspended their payments, and it is feared that other stoppages will follow.

Australian produce is for the most part firm, owing to the light importations from the colony lately.

Wool. Our wools are very small; and, prices, though not so very low, must, without doubt, be very shabby, unless re-shipments come to hand. Australian Wool of fine quality worth 3 dollars 60 cents to 5 dollars 75 cents per 100 lbs.

Wool is also dear, and an advance in this article may be looked

Follow.—This article is in request for the coming crop, during which large quantities will be consumed in the sugar mills. A quantity of about 30 tons of Australian has been made at 13 dollars per 100 lbs.

Wilt Beef is getting in request owing to a general cessation of shipments to this market. Australian is worth 19 dollars to 20 dollars per tierce, and Irish mow beef at 24 dollars to 25 dollars.

Our market is very quiet, but there is an increasing tendency to the staple, and to the continued orders were for fat. The next crop will begin in August, and the yield will, it is fully expected, be quite equal to the first estimates formed of it. We shall, in all probability, make 100,000 tons. The quotations now current for different qualities of our staple are as follows:—

Finest white ery tale.....	Dollars 7.50 to 7.75 per 100 lbs.
Cargo ditto	7.25 to 7.50 ”

Finest yellow coustons.....	6 1/4 to 7 3/4	“
Good ditto.....	5 7/8 to 6 5/8	“
Good ditto.....	6 1/2 to 5 3/4	“
Fine yellow syrups.....	5 1/2 to 6 2 1/2	“
Good yellow syrups.....	5 1/2 to 5 3/4	“
Low to medium ratios.....	4 7/8 to 6 2 1/2	“

Freight, for all quarters, is very dull. There is an almost total
 want of inquiry for tonnage for London. The nominal rate,
 for three, is still £1 per ton. One or two charters have been
 made for Melbourne, within the last ten days, at from 30s to 35s
 per ton.

THE MARCH MAIL, VIA PANAMA.—It is stated in Westgarth's Circular, that the *Australien* and *New Zealand* mails, via Panama, arrived in London on May 25.

HALL'S Blasting Powder, and Rooney's Urushawa.—R. F. Phillips asks Co. direct attention to their sale, this day, at their rooms of show-rooms, on account of whom it may concern, at 1 o'clock, without sale.

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